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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of :
Naohiro KAWASAKI :
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PCT/JP2004/014913) :
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For: OUTDOOR UNIT OF :
AN AIR CONDITIONER (As Amended) :

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Assistant Commissioner of Patents
Washington, DC 20231

Sir:

Prior to examination of the above-identified application, please amend the subject application as follows.

Amendments to the Title begin on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 3 of this paper.

Amendments to the Abstract begin on page 11 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the Listing of Claims, which begins on page 12 of this paper. Claims 1-20 are pending, with claim 1 being the only independent claim.

Amendments to the Drawings begin on page 17 of this paper and include four (4) attached replacement sheets.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 18 of this paper.